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In re Application of

Serial No. 09/932,571

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**For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
LUBRICANTS SUPPLY CHAIN
MANAGEMENT**

GROUP ART UNIT: 2177

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2004, for which a three-month extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

I hereby certify that I have a reasonable basis for believing that this correspondence will be deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on August 17, 2004

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Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 14 of this paper.